

SOCIAL EVENTS

Arens-Reid Wedding at 4:30

The marriage of Miss Nina Reid, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reid, 520 Sixteenth street, and Benjamin H. Arens of Arenzville, Ill., was solemnized this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Samuel Van Pelt of the First Methodist church officiated at the ceremony. The attendants were a sister of the bride, Miss Stella Reid, and John Homblod. The bride was charming in a gown of white georgette with trimmings of pearl and she carried a bouquet of white sweet peas in shower arrangement. The attending maid wore a frock of white organdy and carried pink sweet peas. Mrs. H. Lindley played softly the nuptial music of Mendelssohn's wedding march as the bride and groom descended the stairway. The altar was artistically banked with southern palms and ferns and the rooms were beautifully trimmed with baskets and vases of fragrant pink and white carnations. Dinner was served after the ceremony to a company of 40 relatives and close friends of the families. Mr. and Mrs. Arenz left late this evening for a visit at the groom's home in Arenzville, from where they go to Springfield and Jacksonville, Ill., for a visit with other relatives. They will be at home upon their return after Jan. 1 at 922 First avenue. Out-of-town guests at the ceremony were Mrs. J. L. Prume of Burlington and Miss Mary Fritch of Springfield. The bride has always lived in Rock Island and attended the schools here. She has been employed in the medical department at the Modern Woodmen. Mr. Arenz is employed with the Heider Tractor company of this city. Both bride and groom will receive best wishes of a great many friends.

Harriet Henderson Annual Election.

The annual election and business meeting of the Harriet Henderson bible class of the First Methodist church was held last evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens, 546 Seventeenth street. There were 40 members present. During the business meeting it was decided to add \$50 to join the same amount already pledged by another society of the church. The money will be sent to the Methodist home for French orphans in St. Grinoble, France. The election resulted as follows:

Commander—Mrs. S. E. Mattison.
Colonel—J. A. Reid.
Lieutenant Colonel—E. H. Johnson.
Adjutant—Mrs. Bessie Schnick.
Major—Mrs. H. P. Brown.
A handsome bouquet of pink and white carnations graced the refreshment table. The refreshments

were served by the hostess assisted by members of companies F. N. and K. Mrs. L. H. Trent and Mrs. L. Perry were chairmen of the committee.

Three G Embroidery Club.

Members of the Three G Embroidery club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. G. Gould, 431 Thirtieth street, Moline, and greatly enjoyed their Christmas party. The rooms were trimmed with Christmas novelties, tiny trees and vases of poinsettia brightening the rooms. A miniature tree, gayly decorated, made the center of the luncheon table. There was a "fish pond" in which each member found a dainty gift for herself. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bert Starks, 1620 Thirtieth street.

Council Girls Have Dinner.

There were more than one hundred and ten girls present at the Y. M. C. A. council girls' dinner, Tuesday evening. The affair was in charge of the social committee, which is composed of the Misses Mary Schneider, Catherine Carnahan, Essie Witt, Blanche Bleuer, Fannie Divers, Julia Marshall, Irene Wagner, and Florence Hill. After the dinner an entertaining program was given as follows:

Vocal solo—Miss Bernice Hanley.
Piano solo—Miss Aileen Mutschler.
Trio, cornet, violin, piano—Mrs. H. E. VanDeuzer, Miss Anna Marie VanDeuzer, and Mrs. Robert T. Lee.
Reading—Miss Gladys Steele.
Each girl had brought a present or toy of some kind to decorate the large Christmas tree and after the program a Santa Claus joined the happy group in the club rooms for a while and then took all the presents to the Bethany home kiddies. Ice cream cones were served and a general social hour enjoyed.

Dance on Jan. 2.

This year during the holidays society promises to reassume the pinnacle of public interest, at least feminine and youthful interest, justly claimed by patriotic activities during the belligerent period through which our country has just passed. A great many parties have been arranged for the young people who have been away at col-

lege this year. One of the first to be announced is an invitation-subscription dance, sponsored by a committee of Rock Island young people at the Rock Island club on the evening of Jan. 2. This will be the first of a series to be given throughout the winter. Wixson's orchestra will furnish the music and refreshments will be served.

Woodmen Meet in Odd Fellows Hall.

Camp No. 65, Woodmen of the World, and Grove No. 27, Woodmen Circle, held their regular business meetings last night at the Odd Fellows hall. Three candidates were initiated by Camp No. 55 and four new applications for membership were received. Five new applications for membership were received by Grove No. 27. Camp No. 55 voted to allow \$10 for the Argus Santa Claus fund. At the next meeting of the camp and grove on Jan. 6, a joint public installation of officers will be held, to be followed by dancing. The camp voted to allow the team one-half of the amount cleared on all dances given by them, to be used as a special drill team fund. The next dance will be given Jan. 1 at the Odd Fellows hall.

Amoo Grotto New Year's Dance.

Final arrangements have been made by Amoo grotto No. 57, for its fifth annual New Year's eve party. The reservations are limited to 500 persons, the capacity of the Masonic temple. Dancing will be from 8:30 to 4 with cabaret supper served at midnight. Special vaudeville numbers from Chicago will precede the supper hour. Bowditch's orchestra will furnish the music. Reservations may be made with the committee composed of Messrs. Otto Priestner, Otto F. Hilbrandt, A. G. Vogel, L. R. Macae and F. L. Patterson.

District Nurses Meet in Moline.

The fifth district nurses association met yesterday in the Moline Kings Daughters' rooms. There were 20 present. Miss Sarah Abolton told of her three and a half years' experience in Sweden. The Misses Gertrude Wagner and Anna Reiner both told of the work they had done in camps in this country. The nurses had many interesting experiences to tell and the meeting was a very pleasant one. Refreshments were served and the next meeting will be Jan. 21.

Mrs. Sharpe Entertains for Mrs. Harbord.

Mrs. C. E. Sharpe, at her home, 1611 Twenty-first street, entertained at a small luncheon for Mrs. J. H. Harbord, who is the guest of Mrs. Harry B. Jordan of Rock Island arsenal, this noon. General

Harbord spoke at the Moline Rotary club at noon, and both he and Mrs. Harbord will leave for San Antonio, Texas, this evening.

O. E. S. to Aid in Sale of Seals.

The Order of Eastern Star is going to aid in the sale of the Red Cross tuberculosis Christmas seals next Friday and Saturday. Mrs. E. Schneider, chairman of Rock Island chapter 269, has appointed a committee of Mrs. Helen Lucas and Mrs. Kate V. Collier, who in turn will name their workers for the special effort. The women will be stationed in banks, stores and various places of business where they will earnestly solicit help for the victims of the dread tuberculosis. The sale of the seals has been going very slowly and the local organization and societies back of it think that a great many people have but a vague knowledge of the real use to which the funds raised by the seals is put. The money raised in this way does not go to the national head of the Red Cross but 70 to 80 per cent stays in Rock Island and is used in our own sanitarium here. The tax levied by the city takes care of only the housing, food and medicine of patients at the sanitarium but makes no provision for clothing and incidentals needed by patients. It is understood that many patients at the hospital are in need of warm clothing for their life in the open air. The 20 to 30 per cent which must be sent to the National Red Cross is but a small portion and the remainder is used for the help of the local hospital. The money raised now is also used through the institution in cases where the patient has been dismissed from the hospital as an arrested case and requires warm clothing and aid to prevent another attack of the malady. It will depend on the amount raised from the sale of the seals how much Rock Island will have to humbly provide for those in the city who are already afflicted and to wage the fight against the fast spreading disease. The Red Cross aided by the Eastern Star hope to meet with a generous response during the special two days' campaign for this home charity and responsibility to suffering victims of tuberculosis.

Engagement Is Announced.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohn entertained at their home, 627 Ninth street. The affair was in the form of an engagement party for the daughter, Miss Anna, whose marriage to Max Wiss will be an event of the late spring. The house was prettily decorated in pink and blue, the chosen colors of the bride-to-be. Piano and vocal solos by Miss Cohn and Miss Bessie Brotman were enjoyed, and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Mr. Wiss has a tailoring shop in Rock Island and will receive the congratulations of his many friends. During the evening \$50 was collected for the war sufferers. Miss Cohn is employed as a cashier in Bert's sample shoe store.

Ever-Ready Circle with Mrs. Nettie.

Mrs. Eva Nettleton entertained members of the Ever-Ready circle yesterday at her home, 1609 Thirtieth street. The meeting was in the form of a party for Miss Gertrude Wagner, who is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wagner. The program for the afternoon was on China, and papers were given by the Misses Mabel Sundeh and Bessie Sangren. Preceding the program plans were made to send a Christmas basket to some needy family in Rock Island. In the games, prizes were won by Mrs. A. J. Gunther and Miss Hazel Painter. Refreshments were served, and the next meeting will be Jan. 12 at the home of the Misses Mabel, Irene and Emily Sundeh.

Central Branch Meets at Y. W. C. A.

The central branch of the Y. W. C. A. met yesterday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. A. Dehnen led the special Christmas devotion. Mrs. D. E. Robb read a report of the recent convention in Moline. Miss Alwilda Young told of the world wide prohibition work of the society in over 50 countries, and read the program for the convention to be held in London at Westminister abbey next April. A most interesting paper was read dealing with life and customs in India given by Mrs. Dehnen. Mrs. F. Titterton read a paper on work of the society in Ireland. Mrs. Bella Taylor gave a paper on Russia. There were also short talks given by Miss Rosebelle Stewart, Mrs. Lloyd and Mrs. R. C. Benson. Miss Stewart sang a very fine rendition of "The Battle Hymn of the World," written by Mrs. William Jennings Bryan. The program for the January meeting will be announced later.

Lady Elks' Party Changed.

The Lady Elks' card party which was to have been given at the home of Mrs. Walter S. Yerbury, 1236 Seventeenth street, because of the restrictions in regard to the heating of public buildings has been changed and will be given at the Elks' hall, Thursday at 3 o'clock. The fees collected will be used to further furnish the Lady Elks' room at St. Anthony's hospital. The games start at 3, refreshments will be served, and the public is invited.

Lady Eagles Will Have Card Party.

Friday afternoon the Lady Eagles of Rock Island will sponsor a card party at the Eagles' hall. The game of 500 will be played and will start at 2:30. Luncheon will be served and during the afternoon and evening an apron and fancy work sale will be held. The committee in

charge of the afternoon party is composed of Mrs. J. F. Grotegut, Mrs. T. Clough, Mrs. W. Gordon, Mrs. John Furlong, and Mrs. J. Garrison. The evening games will begin at 8 o'clock. The committee in charge of the evening party is made up of Mrs. P. J. Carson, Mrs. R. Berry, Mrs. W. White, Miss M. Martin, Mrs. A. Overlander, and Mrs. J. Parker. The public is invited to attend both parties.

Unusual Demonstration Given.

The regular weekly meeting of the leaders' training course class was held at the Y. W. C. A. last evening. W. J. Vinal gave an interesting demonstration of the process of making stereoscopic slides from films. The next meeting of the club advisors will be Jan. 6.

Colonel Brackett Circle Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Colonel Brackett circle was held yesterday afternoon at Memorial hall. There was a good attendance and Mrs. C. Waller, treasurer of the circle, was appointed delegate to attend the convention at Joliet. Mrs. Iowa Nichols will represent the local society as president. Officers will be installed at the next meeting on Jan. 6. Commander of the post, W. Church, will act as installing officer. All comrades and circle members are invited.

Kate Hill Society at Y. W. C. A.

Members of the Kate Hill society met last evening at the Y. W. C. A. dormitories for their regular session. Just routine business was discussed and a short miscellaneous program of study was given. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Social Announcements.

Rev. J. C. Oranger will be the leader at the meeting of the everybody bible class Wednesday evening at 7:45 in the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium.

The meeting of the Idlewyle club has been postponed until after the holidays when they will meet with Mrs. B. A. Gillette, 1812 Fourteenth avenue, Moline.

The women's guild of the South Park Presbyterian church will

meet with Mrs. J. W. Armstrong, 1822 Thirtieth street, Thursday at 2:30. The women's missionary society will meet with Mrs. C. W. Hawes, 2900 Eighteenth avenue, Friday at 2:30.

The Knights and Ladies of Security, island council No. 1156, meet Friday evening at Math's hall at 8 o'clock.

The annual election of officers of Helen Gould auxiliary will be held tomorrow evening at Memorial hall.

BIG-HEARTED CITY GIVES SLEDS FOR LITTLE POOR BOYS

Their dead father's promise that they should have a sled on Christmas day will be fulfilled to the three poor boys for whom The Argus made a plea last night.

The paper was hardly off the press last night before E. C. Fisher, superintendent of schools, called The Argus and asked that the members of the young men's class of the South Park Presbyterian church be given the privilege of buying a brand new sled for the boys.

This morning six other sleds have been offered The Argus, and the Santa Claus committee will have no trouble in finding youngsters who will be overjoyed with such a gift. The Argus found, as it had expected, that there were a great many people who would be glad to make these little chaps happy and give them what their father had promised them before his death.

SEEK BUYERS FOR BODY TOP OFF OF CITY AMBULANCE

Commissioner William H. Fitzsimmons, in charge of the department of public health and safety, announced today that the body of the old city ambulance is for sale and requested that anyone desiring to purchase it call at the city hall. The chassis is to be fitted with a

fire truck body, forming a chemical and hose truck for the No. 6 fire station.

The old ambulance went out of duty last Monday when city ambulance work was taken over by the Harry T. Knox undertaking establishment, which has a new up-to-date ambulance to be used in all accident and sick calls.

Chas. Clair

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We give 50¢ worth of sugar with a \$2.00 order, not including flour.

Home made bread, large loaf .13c

Black Mexican popcorn, 2 lb .25c

Cranberries, 2 quarts .25c

Brazil nuts, lb .35c

English walnuts, soft shell, lb .40c

Pecans, lb .30c

Fancy sugar cream candy, lb .35c

Figs, 7 oz pkg, 2 for .10c

Green Ribbon raisins, 2 pkgs .35c

Seedless raisins, in bulk, lb .25c

Currants, pkg .30c

Prunes, 70-80 size, lb .25c

Prunes, 40-50 size, lb .25c

Grapefruit, large size, 2 for .25c

Strained honey, pint jar .50c

Karo Syrup, Red Label, 10-lb. pail .55c

Karo Syrup, Blue Label, 10-lb. pail .55c

Ginger Cake Molasses, No. 1, 1-gal. can .10c

Chick brand corn and sorghum syrup, 10 lb pail .10c

Pure lard, lb .30c

Roxane pancake flour, 4 lb .35c

8 oz. pkg for .25c

Roxane pancake flour, 2 pkgs .25c

Elmvale coffee, lb .45c

Clairs' Peaberry coffee, lb .45c

Olives, quart jars .50c

Lippincott's jelly, tall glass .40c

Pork chops, lb .30c

Kraut, quart .15c

Maxine Elliott toilet soap, 6 bars in fancy box .50c

per pair .15c

Children's stockings, 25c grade

Komo flour, 49 lb sack .65c

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Christmas Selections

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Women's fine quality georgette waists, in all new colors and fancy bead, braid and embroidered fronts, with high and low neck styles. Regular \$15.00 **\$10.95**

Women's georgette waists with embroidered front, round neck and collar, in navy only. \$8.75 value **\$5.95**

Women's dark navy waists, made from fine quality georgette, with pleated fronts, and high neck styles. Regular \$9.00 value **\$7.20**

Women's silk jersey bloomers in knee length, elastic shirred cuffs, all colors to choose from. Special at **\$8.95**

Women's georgette Russian style waists with chenille braid and bead trimming, with silk cord girdle in navy. Regular **\$18.95**

\$23.50 value for

Women's georgette waists, with lace trimmed collar and cuffs, crochet buttons, with vestee style. Regular **\$7.15**

\$9.50 value at

Mercerized flowered and plain black taffeta petticoats with deep flounces. **\$1.95**

Regular \$2.50 value at

Women's extra fine quality belting satin bloomers, with elastic shirred knee, cut large, in all wanted colors. **\$9.35**

Special \$10.00 value at

Women's heatherbloom top petticoats, with silk taffeta ruffle bottoms, in all colors, special at **\$13.50**

Women's slip over sweaters, with ruffle skirt effect, large bell and flare cuffs, special \$12.95 value for **\$9.95**

Women's fine quality changeable taffeta petticoats, with deep ruffled bottom, all sizes, special \$7.95 value **\$6.95**

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Boys' blouses in light percale patterns, with collar attacher **\$1.50 TO \$2.50**

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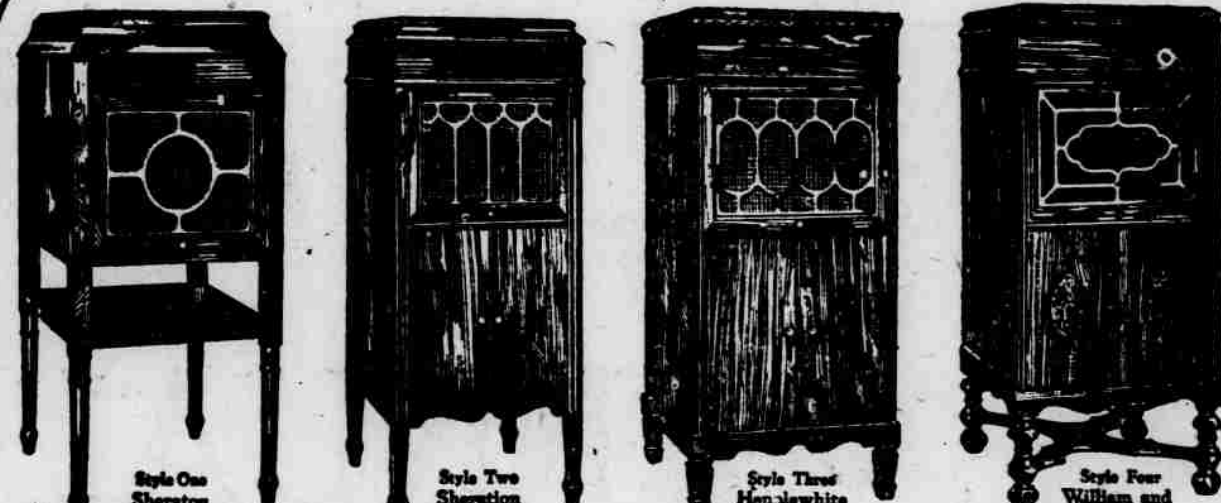
Women's fine quality tennis flannel pajamas, in light stripes, special value at **\$2.75**

Women's "Dove" undermuslins, including gowns, chemise, bloomers and Billie Burkes, in Xmas boxes. Prices from **\$1.00 TO \$6.50**

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